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Y. M. C. A WAR WORK

Campaign Winning Many Friends in Various Parts of the Old Dominion—Public Meeting Here.

Those interested in the Young Men's Christian Association war work are gratified to learn that the movement is gaining force daily. The great need shown for the work is bringing this about. When it is known that fifty per cent of the soldiers are meeting with experiences that cannot be told of in the columns of a newspaper, the urgent necessity of doing all that is possible to shield them from temptation, is readily seen.

A public meeting will be held in the auditorium of the Elks' Home in this city on Thursday evening of this week which will be addressed by Mr. R. Walton Moore, by which it is hoped the residents of Alexandria may be still further aroused to their duty in the matter.

The University of Virginia at Charlottesville has started to raise $5,000 as it share for the work, and the campaign is being conducted entirely by the students who know the value of the work that is being done by the Young Men's Christian Association.

Judge Norton, who is in charge of the work in this city, states that it is impossible to acknowledge all of the contributions that are being made as they come, but that they will be published or posted at the conclusion of the campaign.

Major General J. Franklin Bell, says: "I regard the Young Men's Christian Association as being as necessary as the Red Cross.

Ex-President Taft: "We should feel proud of the Young Men's Christian Association work so ably directed. Are we going to be backward in giving our men the nearest thing they can get to a christian home on the firing line?"

Gypsy Smith says: "The criticism of those who say that while the Young Men's Christian Association is doing a great social work it is doing very little spiritually, is not fair. The workers are constantly engaged in spiritual work as everything they are doing is a means to that end. The association is accomplishing a far bigger spiritual work than we dreamed."

Major General W. Birks, (Canada): "The Y. M. C. A. is absolutely an essential part of the allied army. Its work is to supply a touch of home. It is a home away from home. It asks for money; not for itself; but to do work for your boys, which you would do for them if they were here."

The work is in every way worthy of the giving. If our boys tired, cold and mud-strewn, could only knock at your door to night how wonderfully you would administer to them. With what eagerness you would comfort and feed them. You would do this in your home. Help the Y. M. C. A. to do this for you in the camps and at the front where you cannot go. Help them by heroic giving. Some giving tens of thousands, and large numbers are giving sums in proportion to their ability. All should insist in having a share, even though their means must make it small. There is absolutely no one who cannot give something no matter how small.

Our boys will give their lives to make America safe and free for you. They will make the supreme sacrifice to preserve Democracy. What will you sacrifice to give them a touch of home life and cheer, to help keep the home fire burning in their hearts?

Whatever you can contribute should be given quickly. The severe bitter months are just ahead. The time is short in which to meet the urgent needs. Action must be immediate. For the sake of all that is best—give until its costs sacrifice—give so that you will feel that you are giving something—give as you have never conceived possible heretofore—give for our boys in khaki.

Let's all do our bit now!

This campaign will end November 19th. If therefore you do not give now to such a cause, will you not feel some self reproach as you think during the long winter months of our boys in far off camps or in foreign countries, suffering and dying for those at home. Surely those of us who could not go to risk their lives for their country will find some way to give something, to secure some touch of home to those who are risking all for us.

OPEN AUTUMN FESTIVAL

Large Number of Alexandrians Attracted to Bazaar of St. Mary's Catholic Church Last Night.

The autumn festival and bazaar which is being held at the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum Hall under the auspices of the ladies of St. Mary's Catholic church, opened last evening with a concert by the Twelfth Regiment band of the St. Asaph Military camp. This was followed by an address of welcome by the Rev. Louis Smet, pastor of St. Mary's church in which the large audience present was given a most cordial greeting.

The hall presented a pretty scene with its brilliant lights and many-colored booths, some ten in number, including a postoffice gypsy fortune telling tent and others filled with useful and beautiful articles donated for the benefit of the bazaar. Pretty girls handsomely attired in becoming costumes lent additional beauty to the various booths which were in charge of Mrs. M. R. O'Sullivan, Mrs. L. A. French, Miss Ellen C McFarland, Miss Helena Greene and Miss Mildred Goods.

Each evening will be devoted to some special purpose in which some organization of the church will have a prominent part in the program. It is expected that some of the Catholic societies of Washington will be in attendance on several nights. The bazaar will continue for ten days.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians of Washington and Alexandria will be present in force this evening. On Wednesday night, the 21st, the last night, the entire proceeds for that evening are to be turned over to the Alexandria Chapter of the Red Cross, through the Daughters of Isabella, an auxiliary of the chapter. All members of the Red Cross are expected to be present on that occasion, in order to swell the receipts as much as possible.

AUTOIST IS FINED.

First Warder Assessed Ten Dollars in the Police Court For Exceeding Speed Limit.

There was one case on the docket of the Police Court this morning. David Crockett, who conducts a grocery store in the southeastern section of the city, had been cited to appear to answer the charge of exceeding the speed limit with his automobile. Sergeant Wilkinson, who was the material witness, stated that early last night Crockett ran his machine down King street from Royal at a speed of between thirty and thirty-five miles an nour. The sergeant further said that Crockett turned south at Lee street the auto had a narrow escape from capsizing owing to the high rate of speed at which it was running. Crockett, in his defense, denied that he was making the speed claimed by the sergeant, said his auto "drifted" down King street from Fairfax to Lee, and that he was making but about fourteen miles an hour. Twelve miles being the limit, Justice Caton imposed a fine of $10.

LIGHT OFF DAD'S POWDER.

Two Children Victims of Curiosity When Can is Opened.

Butler, Pa., Nov. 13.—Touching a lighted match to a 15-pound can of rough powder to "see what would happen," at their home in Clay township, cost the lives of Leroy Willis McKusick, aged 3, and his brother, Joseph, aged 7, sons of Joseph McKuisck. Both boys died Sunday.

The elder McKusick kept the powder used for blasting in a room on the second floor of his house. He went up to get the can and the boys followed him. They played about the room, and when their father left the open can on the floor, the older boy put a match to it.

The explosion spread the walls of the house 18 inches.

Autumn Sale.

The Ladies of St. Paul's Sewing society will hold their annual autumn sale in the Parish Hall, corner of Pitt and Duke Streets, Thursday afternoon, November 15th., from 2 to 5 o'clock Many useful and dainty articles will be on sale, including aprons of all kinds and a variety of fancy work suitable for Christmas gifts. Also home made cakes and candies. The children's corner will be especially attractive. Go and be convinced. 272-2t.

Alexandria City and Suburbs

The Willard Christian Temperance Union will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Trinity M E. church.

Lieutenant and Mrs. William L. Martin, Jr., Sergeants Harold and Walter Martin spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin, Sr., of 609 North Columbus street.

The members of the Woman's Mission society of the First Baptist church are asked to take notice that the meeting for this month will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at half-past two o'clock at the church.

Mrs. Amy C. Weech of this city, who is engaged in field work for the Virginia W. C. T. U., recently visited and held meetings at Hopewell and City Point. A union was organized at the latter place.

Rev. Robert H. Cox, of the M. E. church south has been granted by the corporation court the privilege of celebrating matrimony.

Miss Laura Smoot has returned form a visit in Prince George county, Maryland, where she was a guest of relatives.

Mrs. Boston, wife of the late Rev. Dr. S. R. Boston, of Warrenton, Va., and Miss Belle Boston will arrive today for a visit of a day or two at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E B. Jackson.

Lieut John P Scott has been transferred to the headquarters Company, 117th infantry, Camp Sevier, S. C. He was formally attached to the 55th Depot Training Brigade, which was dissolved to fill vacancies in the line companies of the 30th Division.

Mrs. Rosa C. Jackosn, 224 South Washington street, is very ill.

The regular monthly meeting of the seventeenth Virginia Regiment chapter will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock at Lee Camp Hall, at which time business of importance will be taken up.

A letter received by an Alexandria friend from Corporal H. C. Mankin, who is attached to the Medical Supply Department, U. S. A., "somewhere in France," tells of reading of the advertisements in the Gazette and refers particularly of that of W. C. Baggett in which he recently offered a prize won by a little girl in the city. It would seem that even the advertising columns of the Gazette are read by the soldiers "across the water."

WHAT SATAN OFFERS

The Rev. E. V. Regester Tells Some Plain Truths in His Sermon at the Methodist Church South Last Night.

Two more persons accepted Christ last night at the revival meeting at the Methodist Church South when the invitation was given. In the course of his sermon the Rev. E. V. Regester stated some very plain truths. Among them were these:

"The devil has only one thing to offer you—a lost soul. It is an awful thing to sell yourself to the devil. No man or woman can serve the devil and be decent. I may have some before me, perhaps, who have lost all sense of decency—they have bound themselves to the slavery of the devil. We church members ought to look into our hearts and see if we are on the right hand of God. The life lived not on Sunday, but the other six days of the week, determines that. We had better look into the statement, "The wages of sin are death." We church members who place ourselves on the right hand of God and the sinners on the left may not make a right separation. The difference may be that they are sinning openly and we are doing it under the cover of our church membership. The Romans in Paul's day needed Christ, and Alexandria needs Christ."

TROLLEYMAN ASSAULTED

Negro Soldier Makes Brutal Attack Upon Young Man After Electric Train Enters Washington.

Among the passengers which left Alexandria at four o'clock yesterday afternoon on an electric train for Washington were five negro soldiers. They had taken seats in the forward end of a car, the space allotted white passengers, and the conductor soon notified them of that fact. Later Trolleyman William Schaef requested them to move into the rear end of the car, and they complied with the request. When the train reached Maryland avenue, Washington, the train was stopped and the negroes started to leave the car in which they had been seated, when one of them struck the trolleyman a cruel blow in the face inflicting serious injury. The five men soon disappeared. The Washington police were notified and they are endeavoring to identify the men.

Charlie Chaplin Tonight.

At the Richmond tonight, the fun-maker of the screen, Charlie Chaplin, will be seen in "The Adventurer." Bryant Washburn will also be seen in "Skinner's Bubble."

At the Surprise tonight Theda Bara will be the attraction.

Oysters For Sale

Look for the People's Oyster House, 212 King street Phone 552. We have now started our oyster boats and are receiving fresh loads every week and can furnish fresh shucked oysters, delivered to any part of the city. C H. McKenney. 272-12t.

Make Every Shot Tell

should be your motto in business. See that your printed matter is "there" with originality.

HARRY W. WADE.
313 King street. Phone 60

Marriage Notice.

Married, Sept. 1, 1917, by the Rev. A. E. Spielman, at the parsonage of the Methodist Protestant church Henry Sisson and Mrs. Marie Simpson, both of Alexandria, Va. 272-1t

Salt Water and Potomac Oysters. J. Brill, No. 2. King street. Phone

WILSON ADDRESSES LABOR.

Stirs Federation Convention to Patriotic Unity by Address.

The threatened Pacifist revolt in the ranks of organized labor, fomented by agents of the Kaiser, was nipped in the bud by President Wilson, before the American Federation of Labor Convention today in the masterful appeal to American workingman to do a bigger bit in winning the war.

There may be a peace resolution introducted by some individual Bolsheviki, but it will not have the support of more than a mere handful of the delegates.

Labor, as represented by the convention, left no doubt tonight in the minds of observers that it means to back the administration to the last ditch in carrying on the war to complete victory.

President Wilson's ringing address marked the opening of the convention as the most momentous meeting in the history of the American workingman.

In his customary clear-cut and concise language, the President laid down the policy of the government in dealing with both capital and labor in the conduct of the war. Leaving no room for misinterpretation, the President declared that he would brook no interference in the highest possible productivity in industry.

He called for the closest co-operation of employes and employers and made it clear that the government would intervene to the limit of its war powers to prevent the waste of conflicts between labor and capital.

His listeners perceived a vast significance in his remarks: "Horses that kick over the traces must be put in the corral."

He handled the pacifists without gloves. He told the delegates he wanted peace, but insisted that the only way to get it was by crushing Germany.

"What I am opposed to is not the feeling of the pacifists, but their stupidity," he said. "Any people that compounds with the present German government is compounding with their own destruction. I want peace, but I know how to get it."

About 8,000 persons heard the President.

CHARLES PHILLIPS DEAD.

Resident of This City Expires Suddenly in Washington This Morning.

Charles Phillips, who resided at 909 Cameron street, became suddenly ill at the Washington navy yard this morning, and died later in the Naval Hospital. He leaves a widow and a son by a former marriage.

The deceased had for some time been engaged in the insurance business in Washington. He reecntly obtained employment at the Washington navy yard and left this city at an early hour this morning for that place. Shortly after his arrival he became ill and died after having been placed in the hospital.

Notice.

A special meeting of membership Council No. 28. S. V. D., of L. will be held tonight (Tuesday), November 13 at 7:30 p. m., at Pythian Hall. Important business to be transacted. Large attendance is desired.

Mrs. F. Courtney,
272-1t. Recording Secretary.

VIRGINIA RANKS LOW

Work Being Done Against Tuberculosis Does Not Compare Well With That of Other States.

Richmond Nov. 13.—To bring up Virginia from her place of fourth in class B, among the ranks of the 44 States, Miss Agnes D. Randolph, executive secretary, stated last night that it would be necessary to sell at least 2,000,000 of the eight million seals which have been allotted to Virginia as her share of the year's fund for fighting the Great White Plague. For five years, Virginia has gained a round or two in the ladder towards the rank of the State which do adequate work against tuberculosis. This year Alabama, Nebraska, and Oklahoma threaten to throw her back from fourth in class B, to seventh in the same class.

All of the tuberculosis work in the United States is supported by the sale of the Red Cross Christmas seals Through this means the campaign is carried on in every state. The Seals do a manifold work—build camps and sanatoria, open dispensaries, support nurses, send tuberculous men and women to hospitals, conduct the educational campaign, and even furnish milk and eggs in some communities for the indigent consumptives.

Lists of the State are published each year showing the number of Seals sold per capita. In her class, Virginia stands fourth. This year three other States are competing for this post, and if Virginia is to retain it, she must put up a stiff fight. Miss Agnes D. Randolph, ex-secretary of the Virginia Anti-Tuberculosis Association, stated last night that the need for funds was greater this year than ever before, since the number of men rejectd bcause of tuberculosis by the Exemption Boards was approximately 1,000 for whom there was not a single vacant bed in the State.

County organizations are being formed under the Red Cross, the School Leagues, and the School Superintendents and a fund for the care of tuberculosis soldiers will be raised in the State.

FORCED TO REMOVE UNIFORM

Negro, Recently Commissioned Second Lieutenant in National Army, Complains to War Department.

St. Louis, Nov. 13.—Joseph B. Sanders, a local negro who was commissioned a second lieutenant in the National Army, after taking a training course at Des Moines, has complained to the War Department that he was compelled by white citizens of Vicksburg, Miss., to remove his uniform, and that he fled the city in disguise.

Sanders now is stationed at Fort Dodge, Iowa, and sent a letter to the War Department from that post.

In a letter to the editor of a negro paper here, Sanders said he was inhospitably received by white soldiers.

Notice.

Will all the women and men interested in the Y. M. C. A. war work, please meet Judge J. K. M. Norton, chairman of the work in this city, at the Westminster Building, Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

J. K. M. Norton,
Local Chairman Y. M. C. A., local War Work Fund.

CAPT. COCHRAN NAMED

According to Rumor Alexandria Man Will be Selected to Reorganize Third Regiment of Virginia.

In the reorganization of the Third Regiment, Virginia Volunteers, the adjutant general's office submitted to Governor Stuart the names of a number of ex-militia officers from which the Governor will select those best qualified to organize companies in the several cities of the State to complete the full quota of the regiment. Although the announcements have not been officially made, it is rumored that Capt. Thomas B Cochran of Company C, Alexandria Home Guard, has been designated to organize the new company in this city.

In the absence of Captain Cochran from Alexandria, on Masonic work, this rumor could not be verified, nor could it be ascertained whether or not he would accept, if true, but judging from his past record it is safe to say that no more capable or energetic citizen of this town could have been selected for the purpose and if Captain Cochran looks upon this new mission in the light of a patriotic duty, as we beleive he will, no effort will be spared on his part to justify the confidence reposed in him by both the adjutant general's office and the Governor.

COUNCIL MEETS TONIGHT.

Mayor Fisher Will Return Resolutions Appropriating $6,000 to Aid in the Maintainance of Ferryboat.

Both boards of the City Council will hold a regular meeting tonight. As has been announced, Mayor Fisher will return to the Board of Aldermen the resolutions adopted in September appropriating $6,000 to aid in defraying the cost of operating the ferryboat "Atlantic" between Alexandria and the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company's plant at Geisboro. He will also send a communication giving his reasons for withholding his signature to the instrument.

The resolutions as prepared by a special committee of members of both boards were adopted by the two branches of Council by unanimous votes. It will require two-thirds of the votes of both boards to pass the measure over the Mayor's veto.

WOUNDS WIFE, KILLS SELF.

Jealous Husband's Aim Better After He Failed on Woman.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 13.—Crazed by jealousy, Valentine Blitz, aged 38, Glassport, shot and wounded his wife, Mrs. Laura Blitz, aged 35, then fired a bullet through his heart and died instantly.

Blitz had been drinking and quarreled with her, Mrs. Blitz said, also asserting he was jealous and had threatened her life several times.

The bullet inflicted a slight flesh wound on Mrs. Blitz's neck. With a scream she fell to the floor. Evidently believing he had killed his wife, Blitz placed the weapon against his left breast and pierced his heart with a bullet which lodged in the back.

DEATH OF MRS KRAMER.

Old and Well-Known Resident Passes Away Shortly Before Noon.

Mrs. Johanna Kramer, widow of Frederick Kramer, a well-known florist of this city, died at her residence, on Fayette street, between King and Cameron, at 11.50 o'clock this morning. The deceased was 78 years old, Mrs. Kramer was born in Germany in 1843, and came to this country in 1861, and for many years had been a resident of Alexandria. She is survived by seven children, as follows: Messrs. L. H., Charles, August and Harry Kramer, Mrs. Lena Wolf, Mrs. T. M. Dunbarr and Mrs. H. T. Oliver. Her husband died in 1894.

Philadelphia, Nov. 13.—The Methodist Episcopal boards of home and foreign missions at a joint conference yesterday approved a recommendation that a campaign be inaugurated to raise $80,000,000 in the next five years. Forty millions are to be raised by each board to spread Methodism to all corners of the earth.

About 200 clergymen from all parts of the country including the entire board of twenty bishops, attended the conference.

KERENSKY IN CAPITAL

Fighting Still in Progress Expected to Increase Number of Dead.

Stockholm, Nov. 13.—Premier Kerensky's troops have entered Petrograd and are "masters of a portion of the city," according to a telegraph agency dispatch received here today.

London, Nov. 13.—Eight hundred killed and wounded at Petrograd and 700 at Moscow is what the Bolsheviki experiment in government has so far cost Russia, according to reliable reports reaching here today.

These 1,500 casualties will be increased in the fighting, which is now in progress around Petrograd, or in about to occur. So far reports today indicated both sides drawn up for an engagement at the capital, but with neither ready to strike in force. Scattering engagements were reported. The delay is going against the Polsheviki. In Petrograd latest dispatches detailed a growing wave of anarchy, robbery, burders, and rapine. The Trotsky-Lenine combination lacks sufficient men to exercise authority.

Stockholm, Nov. 13.—Premier Kerensky is winning in a sanguinary battle around Petrograd, according to dispatches from Petrograd dated Monday, received here today. The provisional government forces attacked the Bolsheviki around Gatchina and have made good progress toward the capital.

FIND MISSING GIRL IN RIVER.

One-Legged Owner Whose Wife Also Was Drowned is Arrested.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—Withs arm stiffly raised as if in a mute call for help, the body of 20-year-old Antoinette Neabal was found floating in the muddy, oil-streaked waters of the Little Calumet River Sunday. The discovery was made by a boy, who notified a nearby fire house. Investigation by the police resulted in the arrest of T. Matson, a one-legged owner of a house boat which was moored near where the body was found, and six other men. Subsequently all save Matson were released.

Matson at first protested that there had been merely a little boating party early Sunday morning, and that Miss Neabal had fallen overboard and drowned. The other men said that Matson quarreled with the girl and struck her several times. She, with two other girls, was then put in a rowboat, but Matson upset it. All but Miss Neabal were able to save themselves. Matson's wife and baby were drowned at the same place a year ago.

BATTLES IN PETROGRAD.

Moscow to be Seat of New Government if Moderates Succeed—Military Dictatorship Seems Inevitable.

London, Nov. 13.—Moscow, Russia's ancient capital, loomed large last night as the seat of a new government that will be formed if the present concerted move against the Bolsheviki rule succeeds.

That it will succeed is indicated by all dispatches from Russia, vague as these are.

Violent street fights were in progress all day today in Petrograd.

In Moscow the situation is reported quiet, with the elements of law and order in full control.

Nothing further was learned today of Kerensky and his army which was last reported marching on Petrograd to recapture the reins of government.

A military dictatorship under Gen. Korniloff or Gen. Kaledine, head of the Cossacks, seems the only solution.

SHOT AFTER ROW OVER WAR

Woman Killed in Presence of Husband by Man Who Took Side of Germany.

Port Arthur, Tex., Nov. 13.—Following a dispute over the war, Mrs. Manuel Brown was shot and killed Sunday night at her home in the presence of her husband. George Patrick was arrested and taken to Beaumont by automobile for safekeeping. Enraged citizens are said to have followed the automobile toward Beaumont, but did not overtake it.

Patrick is said to have taken the side of Germany, and became enraged at Mrs. Brown's position.

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THE POLL-TAX SITUATION.

So much has been said recently concerning delinquent poll-tax payers in Alexandria that it would seem certain facts ought to be made known to the public.

It is stated upon good authority that probably only one-third of the eligible men in this city have the right to vote. Why? Because they have not paid the poll tax which the law requires them to pay in order to be qualified to vote.

Another important fact is that only about three weeks remain in which they may pay the tax if they are to participate in the next election. While these facts may create only mild interest on the part of those men who have gotten out of the habit of doing a citizen's duty, there is another side to the case which should be of more than passing interest.

It is this: Under the appointment of the judge of the Corporation court, authorized by the Virginia legislature, there will be inaugurated at once, in Alexandria, a strenuous campaign for the collection of poll taxes. No delinquent will escape. It may be that the collector may not be able to locate all the delinquents before the sixth of December, and in that case it will be too late for such to vote at the next election. But the collector's work will be proceeded with just as persistently after December sixth, and many will be compelled to pay the poll tax just the same, but without becoming eligible to vote.

The moral of it all is—pay your poll tax and let your citizenship really count.

OBJECTIONABLE VISITORS.

An item elsewhere in the Gazette tells of a brutal assault made late yesterday afternoon by a negro soldier upon a trolleyman of the electric railway after the train upon which they were passengers reached Washington from Alexandria. The assailant was one of five negro soldiers who visited this city yesterday, and the assault was no doubt caused by the trolleyman requesting them to take the seats set apart for colored people.

In this connection it may be stated that negro soldiers are generally persona non grata in Alexandria, as they are in most Southern cities, as they are likely to meet white soldiers or civilians who may take exception to some of their remarks or conduct, in which event trouble follows.

Last summer several negro soldiers, each with pistols in holsters were seen swaggering through our principal streets. No friction between them and whites resulted, but most people breathed easier when they were seen to board an electric train and leave the city.

They may not have been looking for trouble and, as far as could be seen, carried no chips upon their shoulders, but each carried a gun.

The negro visitors referred to above belonged to a command located in or near Washington, and their officers should know how they acted while on short furloughs. The authorities of this city should ascertain the regiment to which they belong, and request their officers to keep them away from Alexandria in future.

We must not be understood in this arraignment to place all negro soldiers in the brute class. It is the fierce and rowdy element at which we aim. Their officers can size this genius up better than any one else, and they should be careful to see how and where they spend their leaves-of-absence.

RECKLESS AUTOISTS.

An Alexandrian was made to pay ten dollars in the police court this morning for exceeding the speed limit on King street early last night. While the accused admitted he was running his machine at fourteen miles an hour, the officer who made the citation for his appearance insisted that he was running between thirty and thirty-five miles an hour.

The violator of the law who was made to pay the penalty is only one of many who disregard the statute both night and day. In the case of strangers the police cannot always "catch up" with them, and these defiers of law make their escape by putting on speed and leaving the city and giving the officers the laugh. It is noticeable that often automobiles are deliberately operated in front of the station house at unlawful and dangerous speed.

Many taxpayers believe that if the city had a policeman with an autocycle at his command he could overhaul such law-breakers, and in a little while the machine's cost would be paid in fines, and subsequently be a source of revenue to the city.

Sounding alarms when about to turn corners is seldom heard. In many cases Alexandrians are loth to observe the speed law, and the case this morning should prove a reminder that the police are endeavoring to hold violators of the statute responsible when they can be identified.

The most effective procedure upon the part of the authorities is to impose the penalty upon all who persist in indulging in pastimes dangerous to themselves or others, a law adopted by the grandfathers of the present generation of Alexandrians, who did not have joy riding in carriage without horses in their minds, but other diversions regarded as dangerous in their day.

The automobile has come to stay, but its use within cities must be regulated on lines of common sense and safety, and it is hoped that all interested will take notice and act accordingly.

GERMAN BRUTALITIES.

"The devil in hell would blush for some of the things Germany has done in this war!" was the vehement declaration of Rev. James L. Gordon, pastor of the First Congregational Church, Washington, in his sermon Sunday night after reciting many of the counts in his indictment of Kaiserism.

"How Germany Lost Her Soul," was the subject of his discourse, taking for his text Prov. vi:32, "He that sinneth destroyeth his own soul."

We have before us a book as large as an ordinary magazine, profusely illustrated, entitled "The Crimes of Germany." It is a synopsis of the violations of international law and of humanity by the armed forces of the German Empire, based on the official inquiries of Great Britain, France, Russia and Belgium. Part of the contents is composed of diaries found on German prisoners which tell of incendiarism, footing and wholesale murder. The book is published in London and sells at one shilling (twentyy-four cents) a copy.

We wish it were possible for every family in the United States to procure a copy of this publication. It exceeds in cruelty anything we ever read. Even Teutonic soldiers, ordered to carry out the bloody behests of their officers turned their heads aside when innocent children were dismembered or bayoneted. One scene represents a mother and her children thrown into a cesspool and the opening covered by heavy timber and stones. The woman was later rescued by soldiers of the allies, but her little ones had been asphyxiated. Casting young and old Belgians into burning houses was a common practice, as was also nailing them to fences and doors.

This book, compiled from accounts secured by former Ambassador Bryce, is more horrible than "Fox's Book of Martyrs," or the different accounts of the "Massacre of St. Bartholomew's Day," which volumes will go on the top shelves after "The Crimes of Germany" shall have been circulated in the civilized world.

"Bleeding Belgium" is now the subject of many addresses and the title of numerous publications, but, in the words of a hymn, "The Half Has Never Been Told."

Since the above was written we read that three strange men appeared yesterday in Pensauken, N. J., and distributed poisoned candy to many school children. The unsuspecting little ones soon became ill, and when physicians were called it was seen that thirty-five had been poisoned by the candy. By the aid of stomach pumps death was arrested, but the condition of some of the victims is said to be precarious. The police, so far, have been unable to identify the fiends who attempted the wholesale murder of innocent children.

We are loth to lay this crime at the doors of German agents without that fact shall have been established beyond all doubt, but when we read of the brutalities perpetrated in Belgium and northern France in the name of Germany, we are convinced that some who have gone wild over the Fatherland will flinch at nothing. Men who wear medals bearing the words, "The Good German God—smite him dead. The day of judgment does not ask you for your reasons"—men who poison wells, cut the hands and feet from innocent children, denude and crucify women, burn houses with their inmates, in some cases paralyzed people, unable to make their exits—would not hesitate to treat the little ones of the United States as they have the Belgians and French, and wear medals of honor for their crimes.

THE WAR OUTLOOK.

We are not at all impressed with stories about the fitness of Germany to go on with the war indefinitely says a contemporary, nor are we. To say that Germany is better off than ever before is to talk nonsense. Germany is still able to fight for some time, but in men and guns it has been inferior to the allies on the western front for a year and a half. It has not had good crops in a single years since the war began, and civilians and soldiers are suffering from the quality and the lack of food.

The victory in Italy may be admitted to be the most important military success of the war. But Germany cannot help Austria without depleting its insufficient western forces, even if most of the troops sent to aid Austria come from the eastern line. Germany has got to keep a large army in the east for a good while. If the Italian collapse was procured by German money and German agents, it is not very likely to be repeated. At any rate, Italy has a large army in probably good condition, and has received French and British reinforcements.

The allies, even without the United States, have the larger population to draw on for soldiers; if they are better provided with artillery than the Germans it is because the Germans are running out of supplies, and the difference against them will grow from month to month. The German people support this war, but they are gradually finding out that they are not likely to win, and the sharp political controversies in Germany grow out of the fact that a large part of the population are willing to give up their hopes of conquest to secure peace. That proves a considerable degree of discouragement, and that discouragement will become greater. The resources of the allies are sufficient to break the German power by the process of attrition, if no other, and the gains of the British and French justify the expectation of decided, and even decisive military advantages on the part of the allies. The United States is a tremendous factor, which has hardly begun to be felt yet. There is no doubt about the result, and it will not take several years to achieve it.

MUSKRAT'S RISE TO FAME.

Fur More Than Ever Prized and Meat Appears as "Marsh Rabbit"

Bayside, N. J., Nov. 13.—With the rage for furs to bedeck milady from the tops of her boots to the tip of her latest military helmet-hat continuing unabated, trappers' have quite promising prospects for the muskrat season, which opens on November 15 and lasts until April.

In addition to better prices for the pelts, the trappers are also figuring on a bigger demand than ever for muskrat meat to provide a cheap substitute for other meats. Many thousands of the carcasses of muskrats have been thrown into the marshes in past years because the hides alone were considered valuable. Now muskrat meat, under the guise of "marsh rabbit" and other aliases, is not only a popular winter dish among the natives, but is also served at a fancy price at some of the city restaurants.

The muskrat is one of the cleanest of animals and its meat is palatable. Large quantities of the skinned muskrats were sold in towns near the trapping grounds last winter for five cents apiece, but there is a probability of a jump in the price this season in view of the expected greater demand.

The enforcement of a closed season on muskrats during their breeding season in recent years has had the effect of keeping up the supply, and some of the marshes along the lower Delaware River shore are swarming with them.

The Rockefeller Foundation has promised to give $1,000,000 outright toward the $35,000,000 fund being raised by National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. this week. It will also contribute one-tenth of the entire sum subscribed to the fund, not to exceed $3,500,000 in all as its contribution. A contribution of $350,000 from J. P. Morgan and Company, and one of $350,000 from the Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey, were also announced.

PACIFISTS UNDER NEW NAME.

American Union for Democratic Peace Now Title.

New York, Nov. 13.—The American Union Against Militarism announced tonight that it had change its name to "The American Union for a Democratic Peace." Its aims were declared to be "free people, free markets, free seas and world union for disarmament."

"We are utterly opposed to the extension of militarism in this country, and especially to all legislation tending to fasten upon the United States a permanent system of compulsory military training and service," said a statement issued by the union.

KISSED FLAG HE REVILED.

Ameican of Geman Descent Haled Into Police Court.

Havre de Grace, Md., Nov. 13.—As the result of a tirade he delivered against his Government, in which he cast reflections on the flag and otherwise abused his native land, John Werner, of German descent, was forced to salute and kiss the star-spangled banner in the Court room of Police Magistrate Martin P. Foley here Sunday. Werner was fined $10 and costs on a charge of disturbing the peace and was severely reprimanded. He declared that he did not remember what he had done for he had been drinking.

In his speech to the trees and the one or two citizens who were within earshot, Werner denounced the United States for going into the war. This morning he was arraigned before Justice Foley and in the presence of a large number of persons was ordered to kiss and salute the flag.

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By virtue of a deed of trust, bearing date on the 22nd day of August, 1904, and duly of record in the Land Records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 52, Page 177, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the note secured by the said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee, will offer for sale at Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 17th day of NOVEMBER, 1917, at 12 o'clock. m, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the said city, all that lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, in the City of Alexandria, Va., known as 718 Wolfe street, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the south side of Wolfe street, with the east side of Columbus street, and running thence east on Wolfe street, 24 feet; thence south, parallel to Columbus street, 116 feet, more or less; thence west 24 feet, to Columbus street, and thence north on Columbus street more or less to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

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By virtue of a deed of trust bearing date on the 30th day of September, 1913, and recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Va., in Deed Book 140, page 27, executed by Robert Elliott and wife to George E. Warfield and Harry B. Caton, to secure the payment of certain notes in the said deed of trust fully described, and set forth, default having been made in the payment of principal note, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of said note, the undersigned Trustees will offer for sale at public auction at the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on Saturday, November 24th, 1917, at 12:00 o'clock M., all that tract or parcel of land together with the improvements thereon, formerly situated in Jefferson Magisterial District, Alexandria County, Virginia, but by the extension of the boundaries of the City of Alexandria now situated in said city of Alexandria, Virginia, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a locust stake which is north 1 degree 47' 30" east 38 feet and north 88 degrees 12' 30" West 24 feet from the stake at the southwest corner of the property, which by deed dated December 4th, 1911, and recorded in Deed Book 131, page 459 of the land records of Alexandria, Virginia, was conveyed by Robert Elliott to Mary R. Lukens; thence parallel with said Lukens' west line south 1 degree 47' 30" west 72.41 feet to a locust stake; thence north 88 degrees 12' 30", west 110 feet to a locust stake; thence north 1 degree 47' 30" east 72.41 feet to a locust stake; thence south 88 degrees 12' 30", east 110 feet to the beginning, containing 7,965 square feet, agreeably to a survey thereof, made October 1, 1913 by George E. Garrett, surveyor, and being part of Villa Site No. 16 on the plat of the Northwest Alexandria Improvement Company, of record in the land records of Alexandria County in Deed Book U. No. 4, page 60, and which was conveyed to the said Robert Elliott by the Northwest Alexandria Improvement Company by deed dated April 14th, 1905, recorded in Deed Book III, page 153 of the land records of said county.

Terms of sale One third cash, balance in equal instalments payable six and twelve months after date, with interest at six per cen, secured by deed of trust. Purchaser will be privileged to anticipate the payment of the deferred instalments of the purchase price. All conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser, who will be required to make a deposit of $50.00 when property is struck off.

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KAISER'S WIFE OUT.

She Doesn't Know Any of His Plans of Dominion.

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—The most lonely woman in Europe, that's the picture of the Kaiserin as drawn by Ed F. Trefts, now of the Hoover food staff, but formerly of the United States Chamber of Commerce and twice a confidential representative of President Wilson on missions to Europe.

"She is an exemplar to the German housewife of all the virtues the housewife should show." he says. "The position of the Geman woman is that of child-bearer and servile minister to her husband's wants.

"That is the Kaiserin in her home. She has no part in the plans of the Kaiser for world domination, save the bearing of his sons. She's not allowed a part. She has no sympathy with his plans, neither does she oppose them. She is not allowed to. In fact she knows nothing of them.

"She is probably the most ignorant person at court on matters connected with diplomacy and the war.

"The German peasant woman waits on her husband, doing him service. The Kaiserin, in another sense, waits on the Kaiser, and his decision in her law.

"Not so in the time of his father. His mother, a daughter of Queen Victoria of England, was a real influence with his father, a rather easy going, quiet man.

"That mother he learned to hate, and all connected with her.

"Her he blamed for his withered arm, received at birth, an ever-present humiliation to him and hated handicap to his imperial ambition.

"Hating her, he hated her influence with his father. His youthful battles were fought against her and her influence. So that when he married, his mind was set against a wife having aught to say on any subject outside the management of the home; and even then the man's voice was to be dominant. So it has been in his family life.

"You hear little of the Kaiserin in connection with the war—maybe the story of a tear now and then, maybe the story of a kindness to a soldier or his suffering widow at great intervals; no national tradition of a ministering angel to the suffering, such as has grown up of other queens eve nabout the chilling personality of Queen Mary of England.

"The Kaiser, absolute monarch of all Germany, is also absolute monarch of his home. The Kaiserin, lonely in her isolation, is crowded to one side even there, the most lonely woman in Europe."

WIVES OF GERMANS REVOLT.

Uprising is Threatened and Mountaineers May "Shoot Up" the Place

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 13.—United States immigration authorities in charge of the Hot Springs station near here, where 1,600 officers and men of German merchant ships are interned, have informed Washington officials of two threats of trouble here.

One is that seventy-five German married women who have been living in the village of Hot Springs to be near their husbands will attempt to take up quarters in the station and provoke a riot among the men if they are forcibly resisted. The other danger is that nearby mountaineers will "shoot up" the camp out of revenge as soon as they learn of the killing of any of their soldier boys in France.

The German women have been living contentedly at Hot Springs with their hundred or more children up to this week, being supported by the three-fourths wages which the steamship companies have been paying their husbands. The women, on learning that this monthly stipend had been stopped, notified Director of Internment Alfred Hampton that as soon as the money they had on hand was gone they intended to take up quarters in the camp and be cared for by the United States.

The director replied that it was not the duty of the government to care for them, but they must look to the county or state. They persisted they would come into the camp and on being told that they would be kept out by force if necessary replied that they would come in any way at the time they said.

TEUTONS CHECKED.

Berlin Reports Part of Italian Left Wing Was Cut off in Northern Piave Valley; Remainder is Intact.

Paris, Nov. 13.—It was confirmed last night that General Foch, chief of staff of the French War Ministry, will remain in Italy until a solution of the present Italian military crisis has been brought about. He will direct the operations.

Gen. Fayolls has been appointed commander of the French forces in Italy.

Dispatches from sources late last night told of a steady stream of reenforcements and train loads with ammunition and supplies to the Teuton Trentino front.

London, Nov. 13.—Italy's armies in and just below the Trentino have stood firm during the last forty-eight hours against violent Teuton attacks aimed at breaking through to take the Italian Piave line in the rear. General Diaz's center and left wing, lined up on the west bank of the Piave, also remained stationary and intact.

But the Italian left wing, retreating westward in the northern Piave Valley, is not yet out of danger. Part of it—10,000 men—was trapped and captured by the Teutons, who had got benind them near Longarone, to the northeast of Belluno, taken Sunday. The remainder of this army is struggling desperately to escape encirclement. Military necessity demands that it shift for itself, for Diaz is grappling with a far greater menace to his main forces.

TAKE CHILD'S LIFE.

Hopelessly Incurable Infant Will be Given Poison by Doctor.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—Paul Hodzima four years old, is being administered deadly drugs by his parents, with a full knowledge that they will cause his death within two months. The drugs are being given the little boy under instructions of Dr. Harry J. Haiselden, who declares the child is suffering from an extremely small head, impaired breathing and other incurable ailments, and would be a hopeless idiot if permitted to live. "The child's mother has endured great mental agony since his birth, and if he lived the suffering eventually would kill her," said Dr. Haiselden today. "She has had no rest for months because of the constant crying of the little one, who suffers intensely all the time.

"Some minor ailments might be cured by an operation, but it would not restore his mentality. The treatment I am directing will result in his death within two months. Opiates in the medicine prevent the child from suffering meanwhile. The parents agree with me fully and are administering the medicine I give them. Painless killing by painless methods removes the horrors of death."

Kentuckian Slain.

Whitesburg, Ky., Nov. 13.—William Banks, a wealthy business man, was assassinated here Sunday. Banks was shot several times through the back while he was walking down a crowded street. The shots were fired from a building near the courthouse.

J. H. Frazier, a leading merchant of Whitesburg, was arrested a few minutes after the shooting, but refused to make a statement.

Banks, who is alleged to have shot Frazier several months ago, was under indictment.

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NEWS OF THE DAY

Two Cincinnati police officers were killed yesterday as the result of an attempt of a detective to arrest a man suspected of robbing a jewelry store last week. The dead are City Detective Albert Wagener and Patrolman George Le Porie.

As a result of a fractured skull received Sunday in a football game, Harold A. Holtze, 17, of Indianapolis, died yesterday. He was injured about a month ago in a football game and had promised his mother he would not play after the game Sunday.

Poison candy was given to school children at Pensauken, N. J., yesterday by three men. Thirty-five pupils were seized with violent pains after eating the sweets. Stomach pumps saved their lives, but many are in a serious condition.

With every county in Ohio having reported officially, 86, to the secretary of state and the remaining two by county seat officials, which have not yet been reported to the secretary of state, prohibition in Ohio has been defeated by a majority of 1,723 on the face of these returns. The total vote stands: For prohibition, 522,430; against, prohibition, 524,153.

Officials of the War Department who have carefully examined the reports of the military observers of the United States army with the allied forces and with Gen. Pershing's units in France and of others who have returned from several months' experience on the Western front, are convinced that the "march to Berlin" will never be accomplished until the present system of trench warfare on the Western battlefront in France is abandoned and a direct, tremendous and insistent frontal attack made and kept up against the German lines.

China yesterday lodged formal protest with the State Department against the action of this government in concluding the Lansing-Ishii agreement. The protest, it is understood, is based principally upon the action of the United States and Japan in concluding an agreement which vitally affects China without consulting the Chinese government.

Elmer Dwiggins, general manager of the New York Division of the Bankers' Life Company, following the discovery of an alleged shortage of $300,000 in his accounts, will be arrested on sight. The order was issued yesterday [illegible] all Federal agents, Secret Service men, and post office inspectors. The entrance of th United States government into the affairs of Dwiggins took place when, as alleged, it was discovered he had failed to make returns for a large sum of money collected for the sale of Liberty Loan bonds.

U-BOAT AIDS VICTIMS.

Eighth Wonder of the World Described by Norwegian.

An Atlantic Port, Nov. 13.—Capt. Einar Evensen and twenty-four men, comprising the officers and crew of the Norwegian steamship Bygdenas, captured October 4 off Madeira Islands and later sunk by a huge German submarine, arrived at an American port Saturday morning on the Norwegian steamship Storfond. Capt. Evensen and the chief engineer of the Bygdenas were held prisoners on the U-boat for twenty-four hours.

"When the U-boat captured us," said Capt. Evensen, "accompanied by the chief engineer, I went on board her. She was of a very large type. After looking over the papers the German commander ordered all hands to leave the ship. Ample time, however, was allowed the officers and crew to get their personal effects. With the chief engineer and myself still on board, the U-boat towed the lifeboats for possibly seventy-five miles, and we were released and told to get into the boats and head for the nearest land, which was fifty miles distant."

Canadians Murdered.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 13.—Bodies of ten Canadian soldiers were found with their throats cut when Canadians drove the enemy from a position in the Lens sectors recently, according to advices received here today. The ten men had been captured in a raid, and slaughtered in cold blood when the German position was attacked. Captain Alex Solomon was one of the ten.

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NEW EVIDENCE COLLECTED.

Find Dr. Chamberlain Put a Mortgage on Farm in July.

New discoveries made by Louis O. Wendenburg who, in company with Albert Lee Chamberlain, son of Judge Albert P. Chamberlain, murdered Goochland county attorney, paid a visit to the scene of the murder, are yesterday relied upon by the prosecution to show that Dr. Asa W. Chamberlain, the Goochland county physician charged with the murder, never had any intention of paying his brother the debt for which the attorney obtained judgment against him but on the contrary that to prevent his brother from attaching any of his property.

While the full extent of the revelations made to the attoney cannot be made public at this time, it is known that the prosecution will place testimony on the stand to prove that Dr. Chamberlain as early as last July put a mortgage of $3,500 on his farm and that the amount of the mortgage was in excess of the value of the property. This will be used as a basis to prove a possible motive of the crime. It will be argued that if Dr. Chamberlain did not intend to pay his brother and did not go to his home with that intention, his motive for going there may fit in with other circumstances pointing to him as the guilty man.

It is said that the prosecution is in a position to show that Dr. Chamberlain when he visited his brother the day of the murder may not have had with him the $1,200 which he is said to have agreed to pay the latter. Mr. Wendenburg said yesterday morning that the evidence which had been amassed by the commonwealth so far tended to show that the assault on Judge Chamberlain occurred at the latter's home on the night of the murder and that the body was afterwards taken to the home of Dr Chamberlain and there dissected.

Minute search of the doctor's farm disclosed much evidence of a cumulative nature which the prosecution will use.

SUES FOR PARDON

Southside Citizens Indorse Petition For Prohibition Offender.

Prominent men from South Richmond have united in a petition for Governor Stuart for a pardon for William J. Dobbins, recently convicted in the corporation court of that section of the city for violation of the prohibition law, and given four months in jail and fined $200. This pardon has been refused once. The second appeal is augmented by the petitions of ministers, business men, officers, legislators and city officials. The judge who tried the case and the prosecuting attorney do not concur in the appeal for pardon. Governor Stuart inclines to the belief that the juries which try such cases are more familiar with the evidence and the facts than others, and that when they have pass judgment they should govern.

That full justice may be done in the case, however, Governor Stuart is to ask the court officers of the city to furnish them with any information that will in any way affect the case, whether the man is a first offender against the laws of the state. When this information shall have been received it will be considered in connection with the application. In September, when the case was first presented, the governor denied it, and this has been followed by an appeal for a review of the case by the appellate court, which has been denied. Former Mayor Maurice refused to indorse the application for a pardon.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Police search was still being conducted yesterday for the two highwaymen who held up and robbed C. H. O'Neill, Chesapeake and Ohio Railway conductor in Richmond. The robbery was committed Sunday evening about 6:30 o'clock while he was strolling north on North Second St., near the Seaboard Air Line tracks. Approaching him from behind, one of the men wearing what seemed to have been large mittens placed his hands across Mr. O'Neill's face, blindfolding him and also covering his mouth, almost suffocating him. Meanwhile the other went quickly through his pockets, getting his gold watch and $140 in currency.

Parson Macon, of Richmond, had the option of accepting ten cents as a marriage fee or waiting for his regular fee of $2. He decided to wait. The case was that of John Walker and Maggie Scott, who agreed to be married in police court rather than go to jail. As the two were without funds, a collection was taken up, netting exactly $1.10. Of this sum an even $1 had to go for the marriage license. That left 10 cents. Parson Macon, when called in to tie the knot, refused to take this amount for a fee, saying that his conscience would never recover if he did. Instead he agreed to trust the bridegroom for the regular amount, although the last time he extended credit he got "stung." That was in the case of a bridegroom who later turned out to be a bigamist.

After being out 1 hour and 40 minutes and twice reporting that they were unable to agree, the jury in the case of S. Dabney Crenshaw 4th , of Richmond, the former student charged with the larceny of platinum from the chemical laboratory at the University of Virginia, was excused at 9:05 o'clock last night by Judge Fishburne at Charlottesville until 10 o'clock this morning. It is understood that they stand 7 to 5 for acquittal.

Girls employed in the Luray Telephone Exchange foiled yeggmen, who Sunday night attempted to rob the First National Bank, located in the same building. An entrance was attempted from Water street, the would-be robbers using a heavy board, which was placed from the ground to a window eight or ten feet high. While attempting to scale this board the robbers attracted the attention of the phone girls, who sent a message to Chief of Police Slusher. The robbers learned that their operations were being heard and beat a retreat.

Capt. Jesse Showers, of Chincoteague, caught a buck sturgeon which weighed 276 pounds. It netted him $68.10. In the same net he caught six barrels of other kinds of fish, which sold for $108—$176.10 for a day's work for two men.

The one hundred and thirty-fifth annual Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South will convene tomorrow in Lynchburg with about 400 members in attendance. The sessions will be presided over by Bishop Collins Denny, of Richmond; Bishop Hoss, of Oklahoma, being detained at home by reason of ill health.

Relatives in Bristol were advised today of the death of Captain J. Harvey Wood at the home of his daughter, Mrs James Dillard, in New York city. Captain Wood was 77 years old and a distinguished Virginia lawyer. He served at one time in the Virginia House of Delegates. He served as a captain in the Thirty-seventh Virginia Regiment of the Confederate Army during the Civil War.

The mangled body of S. A. Graham was found beside the Seaboard Air Line tracsk, a short distance below South Richmond. Graham had evidently been struck by the northbound train due in Richmond at 7:40 P. M. His head was decapitated and was found a short distance from the body, while one leg was crushed.

Officers from the state department of prohibition, in company with the sheriff of Lunenburg, have located and captured a complete distillery in that county. The owner of the place, L. L. Dunnivant, went with the officers in a preliminary search of his farm, but when they entered the house concealing the still, Dunnivant broke for the timber, it is said, and made his escape. Dunnivant owned a fine farm, worth perhaps $15,000, is a bachelor, and was regarded as an exemplary citizen.

For blocking fire apparatus in the street, J. M. Rossbock, sixty-eight years old, of Richmond, has been fined $25 in police court, of Richmond. Rossback was crossing East Main street at Nineteenth the morning of November 3, it was testified, when apparatus of the fire department was coming down Main. In order to avoid collision with Rossback, the driver of the apparatus swerved and collided with another vehicle. Rossback was driving a wagon at the time. He said that he did not see the apparatus until after he had got into Main street, and then he did not have time to turn back.

TEUTON OFFICERS SHIRK.

Growing Discontent Among Rank And File of German Army Reported.

Canadian Army Headquarters in France, Nov. 13.—Increasing disorganization among the enemy forces is indicated in statements made by captured prisoners, while the decline in the morale of the officers is unquestioned.

One officer states that when we attacked on Saturday all the other officers in his battalion ran back to shelter, some 300 yards behind the front line, leaving the warrant officers noncommissioned officers and men to carry on the work. In another instance no fewer than 11 officers were captured in one dugout.

With such conduct, growing discontent is reported among the rank and file. The statements of prisoners lead to the conclusion that the whole fabric of German arms is held together by little more than iron discipline.

Reserve battalions in Germany are stated to be almost empty, picked men and experienced constructors having been sent to the Italian front and the remaining available men in drafts to the western front.

DROPS PIPE AND TWO DIE.

Dynamite on Which it Fell Blows up Powder Plant.

Tunnelton, Pa., Nov .13.—Two men were killed and five seriously injured in an explosion which wrecked the plant of the McAbee Powder and Oil Company, near here a few days ago. Some of the injured, it was said by hospital doctors, would likely die.

According to survivors, one of the men was carrying an iron pipe and accidentally dropped it on a pile of highpower dynamite, which exploded. The company manufactured explosives for blasting.

Notice.

Commissioner's Office, 115 south Royal Street, Alexandria, Virginia, October 29th, 1917.

To Ruth T. Todd and J. C. Vaughan Todd, her husband, Afred DeW. T. Peters and Kathleen Peters, his wife, W. E. Gladstone Peters, Ethel Jones and J. Wormley Jones, her husband.

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon November 23rd, 1917, at ten o'clock a. m., at my said office, as the time and place when and where I shall proceed to commence to execute the decree rendered by the Corporation Court for the City of Alexandria, Virginia and entered on the 29th day of October, 1917, in the Chancery cause therein depending, wherein Ruth T. Todd and J. C. Vaughan Todd, her husband, et als., are plaintiffs and W. E. Gladstone Peters, et als., is defendant by which decree I. William P. Woolls, was appointed a Special Commissioner in Chancery of said Court, and was directed to take, state, ascertain and report to the Court according to said decree, as follows, to-wit:

1.—Of what property Alexina Peters died seized and possessed.

2.—Who are the heirs at law of the said Alexina Peters, and their respective interests in said property.

3.—All taxes, liens, and other claims against the estate of said Alexina Peters, and in so doing, the said Commissioner shall take an account of the claims against said estate, giving notice to all creditors by publication in the Alexandria Gazette once a week for four weeks, which shall be equivalent to personal notice.

4.—Whether or not the said property is susceptible of partition in kind amongst the parties entitled thereto.

5.—To state and settle the account of W. E. Gladstone Peters, administrator of the estate of the said Alexina Peters, from the date of his last settlement before the Commissioner of Accounts.

6.—Any other matters or things pertinent to the issues in this cause, or which may be required by any party in interest.

At which time and place you are required to attend, subject to all proper adjournments and continuances, until completion of the said reference and to bring such documents, books, or other evidence as may be required at any time by said Commissioner, and such depositions are to be taken as may be necessary to show the facts in the cause.

Given under my hand as Special Commissioner of said Court this 29th day of October, 1917,

WILLIAM P. WOOLLS.
Special Commissioner in Chancery for the Corporation Court of Alexandria City, Virginia.
260-4w.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned lines will, on Novembr 7, at 10:00 a. m., apply to the State Corporation Commission, at Richmond, Virginia, for authority to increase the minimum charge for one-way special passenger train service from $50.00 to $75.00.

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company; Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio Railway; Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company; Danville and Western Railway; Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company; Norfolk Southern Railroad Company; New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad; Norfolk and Western Railway Company; Seaboard Air Line Railway Company; Southern Railway Company; The Virginian Railway Company. Nov. 8-10-13-16.

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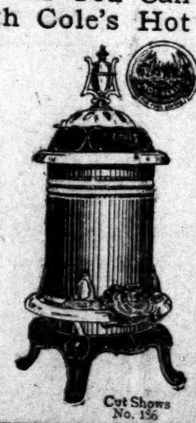

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AUCTION SALES

Auction Sale of valuable factory property, generally known as the "Pioneer Mills."

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on April 11, 1917, given by he Safety First Manufacturing Company, Incorporated, to the undersigned Trustees, and duly recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book 66, page 98, default having been made in the payment of two of the notes secured thereby, the undersigned trustees, pursuant to the terms of said deed of trust, at the request and by direction of the holders of said notes, will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises on Monday, November 19, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, all that lot, tract or parcel of land in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, with the buildings and improvements thereon, generally called and known as the "Pioneer Mills" property, situated on the south side of Duke Street and east of the Potomac Strand, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the south side of Duke street with the east side of the Potomac Strand, and running thence eastwardly with Duke street into the Potomac River; thence returning to the point of beginning and running southwardly with the east side of the Potomac Strand 145 feet 7 inches, more or less, to the north line of the lot of ground conveyed by the Haskin Wood Vulcanizing Company to the Real Estate Improvement Company of Baltimore, by deed dated June 9, 1894, and recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book 33, page 128; thence eastwardly parallel to Duke street into the said Potomac River; thence north to connect with the first line, together with all rights appurtenances, riparian rights and privileges to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining; subject, however, to a right of way through a ten foot alley over said property, conveyed to the Real Estate Improvement Company of Baltimore by the Haskin Wood Vulcanizing Company by deed dated June 9, 1894.

Terms of Sale—One-third cash, and the balance in equal instalments, payable at one and two years after date, the deferred payments to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers to be secured by first deed of trust on the property, and to bear interest at six per cent per annum, or, at the option of the purchaser or purchasers all cash may be paid.

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Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria:

4:27 a. m., Daily—Memphis Special. Sleeping cars and coaches for Lynchburg, Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville, Memphis, Washington sleeping cars open after 10:00 p. m. Dining car.

7:47 a. m., Daily—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

8:17 a. m., Daily—Local to stations between Manassas and Charlottesville and limited beyond to Atlanta. Coaches only.

9:17 a. m., Daily—U. S. fast mail. Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, New Orleans. Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville. Dining car.

4:02 p. m., Daily except Sunday—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

4:22 p. m., Daily—Local to Charlottesville. Parlor car to Warrenton, daily except Sunday.

5:12 p. m., Daily—Birmingham Special. Coaches and sleeping cars to Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car. Daily tourist car to California.

5:22 p. m., Daily except Sunday—Local for Warrenton.

7:17 p. m., Daily—Augusta Special. Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Sleeping cars to Asheville. Dining car.

10:02 p. m., Daily—Washington & Chattanooga Limited. (Via Lynchburg). Coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, New Orleans. Dining car.

11:02 p. m. Daily—New York & New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, Club and Observation cars to Atlanta and New Orleans. Sleeping car to Macon. Dining car.

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Sunday and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10, 7 20, 7 50, and 8 10 A. M and 11 55 P. M.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.

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Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect July 2, 1917.

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33, 10.38, 10:45 a. m. 12:01, 1:28, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 5:14, 5.53, 8:23, 11:33 p. m.

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